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Renamo Claims 54 FPLM Killed in Inhambane
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[Text] Lisbon, Sept 30 (AFP)—Mozambique's guerrilla movement Renamo said Thursday it had killed 31 government soldiers and 23 militiamen during fighting in two provinces.

In a statement released here Renamo said it destroyed a Mozambican army barracks at Vila de Jangamo in Inhambane Province in the south-east last Tuesday, killing 15 government troops and 23 militiamen.

The same day Renamo fighters also killed seven government soldiers in an ambush of a military column on the Quissico to Inharrime road in Inhambane Province, the statement said.

Renamo troops killed nine soldiers on September 23 in an attack on a barracks at Vila Memba, in the north-eastern province of Nampula, the statement claimed.